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took this office before the birth of her first child and continued therein until after her sixth baby was born. For many years she had charge of the wheat for the Relief Society in Midway. Matilda was the youngest girl to join the Relief Society in Midway, being just 14 years of age. She began serving as a visiting teacher and faithfully fulfilled this assignment for 70 years. She also assisted with the directing of plays.

She died at the age of 94 at a daughter's home in Los Angeles, California. Funeral services were held in Salt Lake City and she was buried in Midway.

Children of Isaac and Mary Matilda Jacob included:

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GEORGE W. JOHNSON



Bishop of Midway First Ward 1938-1944. George W. Johnson was born July 9, 1901. a son of Nels Joseph Johnson and Mary Ann Orgill. He was born in Heber City, at the site of the old Hatch Flour and Grist Mill. where his father was the miller. At the age of one, his parents moved to Midway, where they purchased the Flour and Grist Mill formerly owned by Mark Jeff; and here he spent his boyhood, learning the milling busispent his boyhood, learning the milling business from his father, and attending the elementary schools there, and coming up through the channels of the Church and the priesthood quorums.

He was the oldest child of a family of eight children, four boys and four girls. This

was the second marriage of his father, and there was an older sister living from the first marriage. His early childhood and boyhood were spent mostly with his brothers and sisters as his companions, as they lived out of town and had no near neighbors. They spent many hours together with the mother reading good books aloud to her children and having them take music lessons and other cultural pursuits.

He always took an active part in Church being in the presidency of both the deacon and teachers quorums; and in his late boyhood was a counselor in the MIA under William L. Van Wagoner and also a Sunday School teacher. On November 9, 1921, he was called to serve a mission to the Central States where he labored until June 5, 1924, having many interesting and faith promoting experiences in that time under the presidency of Elder Samuel O. Bennion.

On August 13, 1924, he was married to Jennie Luella Pyper in the Salt Lake Temple, and to their union were born five children, three sons and two daughters. His children are: Max George, Georgia Dawn, Ruth Anna, Keith Pyper, and William Lowell, Keith died at nincteen months, and Ruth Anna was killed in an automobile accident at the age of eighteen years.

The first seven years of his married life he lived in Heber City in the Heber 1st Ward where he was Superintendent of the Sunday School for a number of years and also taught the adult class in MIA. He was also in the presidency of the First Quorum of Elders. Later he moved to Lakeyiew, Utah County, where he lived for one year and then he purchased the Jesse Mc-Carrol home and farm in Midway and has resided there since that time.

He was sustained as Bishop of the Midway First Ward January 8, 1938, after serving as a counselor to Bishop Clark Bronson for some time and as a member of the Wasatch Stake High Council for eighteen months. The Ward had 525 members at that time. He was ordained a Bishop by Elder Joseph F. Merrill January 13, 1938. in Salt Lake City. He was ordained a High Priest by Elder George Albert Smith. His counselors who served with him in the bishopric were Charles E. Buehler and John H. loost. The clerks were Clyde Pyper and Ernest Kuhni. He served for five years.

He has served continuously as a teacher in Sunday School Gospel Doctrine Class for 13 years and as a teacher of the Gospel of lesus Christ since he was 18 years of age. He taught the MIA gospel adult class and priesthood quorums both in the ward and the stake; served on the Sunday School and MIA Stake Boards and is now teaching the Wasatch Stake Adult Aaronic Priesthood School, through five complete graduating classes.

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He was chosen by the Wasatch Stake young people as the Honorary Master M-Man in 1955. At present he is teaching the M-Men and Gleaner Class in connection with his wife in the Midway First Ward. He has spoken to literally hundreds of funerals during his lifetime, beginning immediately upon his return from a mission and continuing during his lifetime.

His family honor and revere him. His two sons served in the armed forces, and a daughter and a son served missions for the Church. At present he is a well-known farmer and dairyman; and as a hobby he does sound recording and record making: active in many pursuits and enjoying his seven grandchildren at his home in Midway.